

I Eat a Big Bowl of God's Scroll Every Day



Eight-year-old King Josiah loved God and wanted to do things God's way. When he was about 26 years old and was fixing up the Temple, he found the long-lost scroll of God's Word covered with dust and cobwebs.

Now he understood why his dad, King Amon, and his granddad, King Manasseh, had not obeyed God. They had put away God's **scroll**, the Bible. They didn't care to read it. So Josiah made up his mind to read the scroll to his people. Then everyone would know how to obey God.

Be like Josiah—read your Bible and learn to do right. Decide today to eat a big **bowl** of God's scroll every day!

Key Verse

*The king went up to the Temple of the Lord with all the people of Judah and Jerusalem, along with the priests and the prophets—all the people from the least to the greatest. There the king read to them **the entire Book** of the Covenant that had been found in the Lord's Temple.*

2 Kings 23:2

Click

Your child will now be able to say the meaning of this Bible verse in their own words.

Stick

The life application meaning of this verse is tied to the image of a **bowl**.

Click-er: Bowl

Whenever you see, eat from, or think about a *bowl*, let this HoneyWord scroll through your mind as it clicks and sticks.



Read 2 Kings 23:2

Make-it-Stick

As you eat a bowl of cereal, read Exodus 20 from your Bible. When you finish "eating" both, repeat this HoneyWord out loud. Then design a new cover to tape onto your cereal box, and name it "God's Scroll." This will remind you that it's just as important to read God's Word each day as it is to eat your breakfast!

Everyone Take Turns Explaining the Meaning of this Lesson in Your Own Words

Ask, "What does this lesson mean?" If the answer is in the ballpark of the correct meaning, praise that person out loud. Then ask another child to explain it. Do this 2 or 3 times in a row.

Hold Up the Click-er

Hold up the Click-er (bowl) and say this HoneyWord Lesson out loud:

"I eat a big bowl of God's scroll every day."

Then repeat it out loud together one more time.

Pair Up in Small Groups of Two

If you're with more than one child, have your children pair up and ask each other to say the lesson out loud to each other.

Re-Group and Recite Again

Ask one child to say the lesson one more time, and then explain what it means.

Discuss How This Truth Applies to Your Everyday Life